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AMENDMENT, RESPONSE, AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.114 – COMPLIANT

Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the final Office Action mailed January 11, 2006, and the Advisory Action mailed April 10, 2006, rejecting Claims 1-5, 7, and 9-21 of the above-referenced Application, in which Claims 1-5, 7, and 9-21 are pending, Applicant respectfully requests that the following amendments be entered and remarks be considered in association with this Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.114. In view of these amendments and remarks, Applicant submits that the Application is now in condition for allowance and respectfully requests such action.